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ABSTRACT

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Read the following:

G.O.Ms.No.1982 Development dated 21.8.1940.
G.O.Ms.No.5049 " " 27.11.1944.
G.O.Ms. 7 " " 21.1.1946.
G.O.Ms.No.2073 " " 28.5.46.
G.O.Ms.4316 " " 21.11.1946.
G.O.Ms.No.308 " " 27.1.1947
G.O.Ms.684 " " 13.2.1948.
G.O.Ms.951 " " 26.2.1948.
G.O.Ms.2270 " " 5.5.1948.
G.O.Ms.2464 " " 13.5.1948.
G.O.Ms.No.2682 " " 26.5.48.
G.O.Ms.4487 " " 1.9.1948.
G.O.Ms.5076 " " 16.10.1948.
G.O.Ms.5117 " " 18.10.1948.
G.O.Ms.5433 " " 3.11.1948.
G.O.Ms.5683 " " 18.11.1948.
G.O.Ms.1002 " " 28.2.1949.
From the Director of Industries and Commerce No.9569 H6/47 dated 26.3.1948.
From the Director of Industries and Commerce No. H6/47 dated 12.4.1948.

ORDER:

The question of reorganising the Fisheries Section of the Department of Industries and Commerce has been under the consideration of Government for some time past. The Retrenchment and Reorganisation Committee constituted in G.O.794, Finance dated 11.10.1947 has examined the working of the Fisheries Section and has made certain recommendations in this regard. The recommendations made by the Retrenchment and Reorganisation Committee have been accepted by the Director of Industries and Commerce. The proposals of the Retrenchment and Reorganisation Committee and of the Directors of Industries and Commerce are as follows:—

(i) that the fisheries section may be separated from the Department of Industries and Commerce and that it be placed in charge of a separate Director of Fisheries.

(ii) that an I.C.S. officer or a listed post holder borne on the cadre of the I.C.S. may be appointed as the Director of Fisheries in the initial stages after the formation of the Department.

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(iii) that in view of the need for reorganising the Fisheries Section on a regional basis instead of on a functional basis the two posts of Deputy Directors may be retained and designated as Deputy Director of Fisheries (North) with headquarters at Madras or Vijayawada and Deputy Director of Fisheries (South) with headquarters at ~~Ex~~ Coimbatore.

(iv) that the Gazetted and non-Gazetted posts mentioned in Annexure I to this order may be retrenched.

(v) that the Assistant Directors of Fisheries and other Gazetted posts may be regionally distributed under the control of the two Deputy Directors as detailed in Annexure II to this order.

(vi) that the following posts may be created:-

Algologist (Non-Gazetted) on Rs.120-5-160-10-220
Assistant (Fluviatile) on Rs. 120-5-160-10-220.

and that the Sub-Inspector of Fisheries, Salt Transport who is employed for six months in a year may be employed for the whole year consequent on the abolition of the post of Inspector of Fisheries, Salt Transport.

(vii) In addition to the above proposals, the Director of Industries and Commerce has submitted proposals for the employment of the following additional staff to work under each of the ~~xx~~ two Deputy Directors of Fisheries:—

One Junior Superintendent on Rs.140-190
Three Upper Division Clerks on Rs. 80-110.
One Lower Division Clerk on Rs.45-90
One Typist on Rs. 45-90.

2. His Excellency the Governor of Madras has considered the above proposals and proceeds to pass the following orders:-

(i) The Fisheries Section of the Department of Industries and Commerce be constituted into a separate department and ~~it~~ be placed in charge of a separate Director of Fisheries. The constitution of the separate Department will take effect from the date of appointment of the Director of Fisheries.

(ii) Sanction is accorded to the creation of the post of Director of Fisheries for a period of three years in the first instance from the date of appointment. The holder of the post should proferably be a technical man with administrative experience. Orders regarding the scale of pay of the post of Director of Fisheries will issue separately.

(iii) The two posts of Deputy Directors of Fisheries sanctioned in G.O.Ms.No.5049 Development dated 27.11.1944 and continued in G.O.Ms.No.308 Development dated 27.1.1947 ~~x~~ be designated as Deputy Director ~~(North~~ of Fisheries (North) and Deputy Director of Fisheries (South) with headquarters at Vijayawada and Tiruchirapalli respectively.

(iv) The proposal for the retrenchment of staff detailed in Annexure I to this order is approved.

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(v) After retrenching and conbining the posts as indicated in Annexure I, the distribution of Gazetted Officers under the control of the two Deputy Directors shall be as shown in Annexure II to this order.

(vi) The Government consider that an additional staff of one Upper Division Clerk and one Lower Division Clerk will be sufficient for each of the two Deputy Directors of Fisheries. Sanction is therefore accorded (i) to the continuance upto 4.1.1950 of the two posts of Upper Division Clerks already sanctioned in G.O.Ms.2270 Development, dated 5.5.48 and continued in G.O.Ms.5117 Development dated 18.10.1949; and

(ii) to the employment of one Lower Division clerk on Rs.45-90 per mensem for each of the two Deputy Directors for a period till 4.1.1950 from the date of appointment.

(vii) Sanction is accorded to the employment of an Assistant (Fluviatile) on Rs.120-220 temporarily for a period of two years from the date of appointment.

The post of Algologist on Rs.120-220 already sanctioned in G.O.Ms.5683 Development, dated 18.11.1948 shall be continued for the period for which the post of Assistant (Fluviatile) mentioned above is in existence.

The Government have also sanctioned in G.O.Ms.No.4487, Development, dated 1.9.1948 the appointment of one Sub-Inspector of Fisheries on Rs.60-120 per mensem for one full year from 1.9.1948.

3) The expenditure on the staff sanctioned should be debited to the relevant sub-heads under "43. Industries and Supplies-e. Fisheries".

4) The Director of Industries and Commerce is requested to submit draft 'ad hoc' rules in respect of the posts created wherever necessary.

(By order of etc., etc)

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To the Director of Industries and Commerce.
" the Accountant-General through Finance Department.
" the Board of Revenue.
" the Heads of Departments under Development Department.
" all Collectors.
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" to Departments of Secretariat.
" to Personal Assistants of all Hon'ble Ministers.
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A ANNEXURE I.

RETRENCHMENT OF GAZETTED AND NON-GAZETTED ~~S~~ POSTS.

1. Fisheries Training Superintendent with a staff of one Training Assistant, one Upper Division Clerk, one Fieldman and three peons.

2. One Special Officer (Craft and Tackle) Marine and two peons.

3. Special Officer, Fish Manure Industry, Calicut and two peons.

4. The gazetted post of Algologist.(the Assistant Director dealing with freshwater biology can easily have the algological work done under his supervision by a non-gazetted officer)

5. Fisheries Engineer with a staff of one lower division clerk, one maistry and two peons.

6. Fisheries Marketing Officer with one lower division clerk and two peons. (Fisheries Marketing and Information should go together. The two posts should be combined into one with a designation as Fisheries Marketing and Information Officer)

7. Inspector of Fisheries, Salt Transport and one peon.

8. Inspector of Fisheries (Oil Extraction) Calicut and one peon.

9. Inspector of Fisheries Schools, one lower division clerk, one attender and one peoon.

10. Superintendent, Semi-dried prawn scheme and one Assistant Inspector.

11. Marine Foreman, one store-keeper and one peon.

12. Assistant Fishery Demonstrator, Tekkadi, one fieldman and one watcher.

13. One Fieldman, one fisherman and one watchman in Vizagapatam.

14. Two posts of peons in the Calicut Salt Guella to be converted into one post of watcher and a saving of Rs.22,000 per annum to be effected on the repairs of fences at the salt guella. (The existing store sheds are strong enough and no fences are required)

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ANNEXURE II

DISTRIBUTION OF OFFICERS

Under Deputy Director (North) Headquarters at Vijayawada.

(1) Assistant Director-Vizagapatam and East Godavari-Headquarters-Vizagapatam.

(2) Assistant Director-West Godavari, Krishna, Guntur and Nellore-Headquarters-Vijayawada.

(3) Assistant Director-Bellary, Anantapur, ~~Kurnool~~ Cuddapah, and Kurnool-Headquarters, Anantapur.

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(4) Assistant Director-Madras, Chingleput, North Arcot and Chittoor-Headquarters, Vellore.

(5) Assistant Director-(Freshwater Biology) Headquarters-Madras.

(6) Hydrologist-Headquarters Madras (Research).

(7) Special Officer (Craft and Tackle)-Headquarters, Madras.

(Special post-Non-administrative).

Under Deputy Director (South) Headquarters at Tiruchirapalli.

(1) Assistant Director, South Arcot, Tanjavoor and Tiruchirapalli districts-Headquarters, Tanjavoor.

(2) Assistant Director, Coimbatore, Salem and Nilgiris-Headquarters-Coimbatore.

(3) Assistant Director, Malabar-Headquarters Calicut.

(4) Assistant Director, South Kanara-Headquarters, Mangalore.

(5) Assistant Director, Madura, Ramnad and Tirunevelli districts-Headquarters, Tuticorin.

(6) Fisheries Information and Marketing Officer-Headquarters, Madras (Special Technical Post).

(7) Assistant Director (Marine Biology)-Headquarters, Calicut (Special Research Post).

(8) Fish Preservation and Manure Officer-Headquarters-Calicut.

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